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News of the Day—A Fight in Maryland—Virginia in Arlington Heights.

We hear a rumor that Baltimore has been shelled, but there is no truth in it. There has been a fight between some of Lincoln's mercenaries and the Baltimore police and soldiers. It is stated that the latter were dispersed.

The Baltimoreans have requested Virginia to send them aid, which will be promptly responded to.

There are reports of a negro insurrection in Maryland.

It is said that 1,500 men in Missouri have volunteered under the proclamation of Lincoln. One thousand three hundred soldiers are in the arsenal at St. Louis.

The telegraph gives currency to a report that 5,000 Virginians have seized upon Arlington Heights, which commands Wash-

ington city.

The Washington Railroad is to be ob-

structed to-day, and bridgeburned.

If troops try to pass through Maryland they will be opposed by an armed force, and have to fight their way step by step.

Five war vessels have been scuttled at Norfolk by Commodore Pendergrast, under Government orders. The vessels were the Merrimac, Raritan, Columbus, Delaware, and Pennsylvania. The Powhatan had been seized. Commodore Pendergrast had threatened, in certain events, to fire on Norfolk and Portsmouth.

An Army in Cairo.

We announced a few days since that the Black Republicans were forming a military camp at Cairo.

We learn from a member of a respectable business firm in Memphis, who arrived here from Cairo yesterday morning, that he met at Carondeleau seven hundred Chicago soldiers with seven cannon bound for Cairo, which place they doubtless reached Monday evening.

What purpose is this army collecting at this point? Why are frowning batteries to be erected in sight of our houses and with their guns commanding the river over which our produce, manufactures, goods of all kinds pass to market? Are these troops to defend Illinois? To execute the laws in South Carolina? To resist invasion?

The fact is as stated. A Black Republican army is congregating at Cairo, Ill. It may be intended as a menace to Kentucky. It may be for some unknown purpose. But it is singular that military camps are being formed at so points in canon shot of Kentucky houses—at Cincinnati and Cairo!

The Fire in Frankfurt.—The fire broke out on Main street, in the upper portion of the city, about 11 o'clock on Monday, and the wind was very high. E. H. Tole's residence and grocery house, John Bulger's residence and grocery store on Main street, were buried in the ground. The houses communicated with each other. Many persons resi-

dence, to the residence of Dr. Joyce, and several other small residences on the north side of Broadway, all of which were leveled to the ground. The whole of the eastern part of the city was in danger at one time, as also the State prison. The loss of property will reach \$20,000.

The Journal and Democrats are daily filled with articles excusing and palliating the outrages perpetrated at Cincinnati and other places, on Southern men and interests. It was, according to these oracles, a part of Vieksburg's, a circumstance, to which they have had no objection.

They have now done little else than to repeat what the Journal (who falls from the Old Dominion) should suffice to be employed in traducing the South.

CORNELL GUARDS.—You are ordered to meet at Concert Hall at 1 o'clock precisely, this day, to muster in the regiment, and arrange for departure. By order of the Captain.

MILITARY DEPARTURE.—Several companies who intend to fight for the cause of the South, leave to-night. They will do honor to the ancient fame of Kentuckians.

ALLEGED WIFE MURDER.—Lawrence Conley was committed to jail yesterday, suspected of causing the death of his wife by brutal treatment and violence. The woman, who lived near Bridge street, was found dead, and interred in such haste, yesterday, that it led to the belief that she met death at his hands. At the instance of the coroner, who will have the body taken up-to-day, Conley was arrested.

He says that he left home early on Monday night, and that when he returned at 11 o'clock, he found his wife had been found dead in her bed. Some of the neighbors declare that her remains were found in the night. She was adduced to drink. The parties had three little children, who are made motherless by whisky or violence, or both.

LAWRENCE MATTERS—SHOCKING DEATH.—Court is in session at Lawrence at present, and the trial of two important cases caused no little interest. One is the case of Squire Bain, charged with a felonious outrage upon a lady of that county, the truth of which, however, his friends bitterly deny. The other is that of several bliters of the Jacob Stidler for causing the death of two persons, by shooting the boy over a skiff which they were rowing on the river.

A young man, the son of a teacher, lost his life yesterday in Lawrence, by the accidental discharge of a gun. He was blowing into the muzzle, and by some means it went off, blowing half of his hand away, and of course killing him instantly.

HOME FOR FAMILIES—A RARE CHANCE.—Our old friend Sam H. Bullen has leased the large house on Jefferson street, between Eighth and Ninth, formerly occupied by J. C. Ford, Esq., as a private residence. He is now prepared to accommodate families with pleasant rooms and excellent board.

This is a rare chance for families.

U. S. DISTRICT COURT.—Several actions, involving a large amount, were tried yesterday before Judge Moore, of the U. S. District Court. Mr. Mitchell, of Bracken county, was convicted of ousting letters in violation of the law. He has not yet been sentenced, however.

The sale of rare and beautiful roses and other flowering plants will take place this morning, (Wednesday,) at 11 o'clock, at the auction rooms of Messrs. S. G. Henry & Co. They are in fine order, and are from the Woodland Garden Nursery.

The war only seems to increase the number of pictures taken at Elrod's, Louisville, 409 Main street. No wonder—the pictures almost given away. Who wouldn't have one?

Our lady readers are notified that Mr. C. C. Spencer will continue the sale of dry goods and fancy articles at Messrs. Warren & Baker's store this morning and afternoon.

See Broden's advertisement of three thousand yards for sale in Harrison county, for advertising on Sunday and Monday, April 24th, at one o'clock.

For the South.—Capt. DeSho's, Capt. McLean's, Capt. Harvey's, Capt. Ladd's companies will assemble at Hall on Fifth street, at 11 o'clock, P. M., on Wednesday, to make arrangements for the departure of 400 to 500 men.

Frankfort Yeoman says the disturbance at Frankfort on Monday was originated by some thoughtless boys, and that no person was hurt.

Ryan Evans, of the Crystal Palace, has re-opened his super billiard saloon He has also received a lot of Pittsburg men, which is pronounced the best music.

SALUTE.—Seven guns were fired by the friends of the South in Madisonville on Wednesday last, in honor of the victory won at Charleston by the South.

See Bland's advertisement. Money loaned on diamonds, ac. Office on Mar-ketstreet, between Third and Fourth.

Bishop O'Fallon has been appointed Archbishop of New Orleans.

Attention Duncan Rifles.—Louisville, April 23, 1861.

Editor Louisville Courier: In your paper of this morning you state that a meeting "was held for the purpose of organizing men, under Capt. Rousseau, Woodruff, and others, for the purpose of repelling invasion." The meeting was held at Paducah, and I hope you have given credence to their remarks.

It seems to me that the editors of a public journal should be cautious about inquiring the motives of men without having some facts upon which to base their remarks.

At Henderson, Ky., a meeting was held to discuss the same question. The speakers were mostly men from the South, and the audience was mostly from the North.

It is evident that the speakers did not know what to do, the most boasting when there is the least danger.

W. E. WOODRUFF.—If Major Woodruff had closely read the paragraph to which he objects, he would have known that we did not use the language of which he complains. Here is what we did say:

Last night a meeting was held for the purpose of organizing men under Capt. Rousseau, Woodruff, and others, and speeches were made on the occasion. We do not know, it is preposterous; but undoubtedly it was agreed that the Indians should be held in check, and that the Indians should be held in good spirits. Their present destination is New Orleans. Yours truly, W. E. WOODRUFF.

J. J. HARVEY.—Louisville Gold Pen Manufacturer, Main Street, four doors below Third.

WAR ITEMS.
We learn from a gentleman from the Fourth District that the excitement exists in that District about the war news, and the people are nautred to a man against Lincoln. Dissensions are prevalent.

WELL DONE, ARKANSAS!—We understand that a company numbering one hundred and fifty men have arrived here from Arkansas to render services to the Administration, the forming of military camps along the border of the State by our enemies, the seizure and detention of arms and provisions by the Free State authorities in our own waters—there, and a thousand incidents of more or less importance, are convincing our people that the Union is a thing of the past, that the Republican library is to be maintained against usurpation and tyranny with arms, and that Kentucky will stand by us in our hour of need.

It will be seen at 11 o'clock, and will contain every item of interest that reaches us by telegraph or otherwise up to that moment.

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